

Job Title:

AIR FORCE: Neurologist (Medical Director) – Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson (JBER), AK (O-5 billet, Non-Supervisory)

Age of Populated Served: Active duty members, United Healthcare beneficiaries of any age within guidelines of the servicing provider's speciality.

Supervision Requirements:

- **Supervision Received:** mTBI Medical Director will be supervised by designated MDG personnel
- **Supervision Exercised:** Nurse Practitioners and other Medical Staff

Performance Expectations:

- Serves as Master Clinician providing mentorship and training to junior providers
- Assumes overall responsibility for the medical operations and quality of care within the mTBI Clinic.
- Serves as consultant to the Flight Commander and Flight Chief on clinically related matters.
- Supervise the clinical work of all Nurse Practitioners and Medical staff.
- Medical liaison to primary care, specialty clinics and inpatient units.
- Represents the mTBI Clinic on the Credential Committee.
- Oversees all clinical student education training.
- Oversees development of mTBI continuing education.
- Diagnose mTBI in accordance with Defense Veterans Brain Injury Center (DVBIC) and Department of Defense (DoD) guidance.
- Treat mTBIs as primary provider or in a consultative/collaborative role, utilizing evidence based, DVBIC, and DoD approved modalities.
- Rules out/in cognitive deficiencies as being related to Mild Traumatic Brain Injury and/or concomitant medical/mental health conditions.
- Maintain state medical licensure, continuing medical education requirements, BLS certification, and other credentialing requirements as determined by SGHQ.
- The physician is expected to participate in Traumatic Brain Injury/Mental Health Flight in-services and 673 MDG monthly training day activities.
- Performs other administrative and clinical duties, i.e. peer review, outreach etc.
- Maintains all basic readiness standards as required by the U.S. Public Health Service. Requires a Secret clearance.

- PHS officers assigned under this Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) must remain available for PHS deployments. Under this MOA, PHS officers are not authorized to deploy with the military.

EDUCATION AND CREDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

Medical Directors fulfill all requirements of position description, performance and professional standards for practice within the Air Force Medical Service.

Maintains knowledge of Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare

Organizations (JC) standards and basic management skills. Possesses knowledge of clinical decision making principles, population based management strategies, principles of disease/case management and the community resource/referral system. Possesses clinical expertise along with basic interpersonal assessment, evaluator skills, and effective communication skills (verbal and written).

Demonstrates adaptability and interest in improving Traumatic Brain Injury care processes that effect positive patient outcomes. Completion of Bachelor and Doctor of Medicine degrees are mandatory. Must maintain active medical license.

Board certification is desirable. Must be credentialed through MTF. Participates in continuing medical readiness training and disaster team training as required.

Annual Basic Life Support training and annual in-service training are mandatory.

Must complete credit hour of continuing education per year as required by licensure. Completion of PME commensurate with rank, and experience in quality assessment/improvement, and utilization management are preferred.

Location Description:

Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson (JBER)

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Contact Information:

To apply, please e-mail your CV, cover letter and last 3 COERs to

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The cover letter should reference this specific job announcement, state your date of availability, introduce yourself, and provide your contact information to include name, phone, and e-mail address.